

Joinery

Competition overview

Competitors have to complete a specific project designed to challenge their ability to follow detailed instructions, produce accurate and neat work outputs, and be economical with materials while working to strict timescales – all essential requirements for today's construction industry.

All competitors will be expected to be able to follow drawings, measure accurately, effectively plan their time, demonstrate competence with tools and keep work stations clean and tidy.

Also, they will have to demonstrate the following skills:

- Appropriate use of timber provided.
- Correct joints.
- Accurate measurements.

Marks will be awarded based on the following criteria:-

- Drawing.
- Internal Joints.
- Dimensions.
- External Joints.
- Appearance.

Entry criteria

The competition is for those training for a career in the construction industry and studying for an apprenticeship or SVQ course.

Number by location/organisation

Capacity of 12 competitors per heat.

Brief

Competitors will be given drawings of a joinery task and materials to carry out the task. The task is designed to challenge their ability to follow detailed instructions, produce accurate neat work outputs, and be economical with materials while working to strict timescales.

Please ensure that your entrants have the skills and competences to complete the task provided.

Infrastructure List

Competitors are expected to bring their own toolkit. Benches, vices and bench hooks will be available at the venue. Mortiser and routers, with associated fittings will also be available at the venue.

Competition rules

Competition specific rules

Marking and judging of this competition will be done by a team of experts from industry, further education or training provider, using a marking criteria and allocated marks to ensure consistency at least 1 marker will attend both regionals.

Generic competition rules

- Mobile phones to be switched off during competition activity
- Listening to music via headphones is not permitted during competition activity
- Any questions during competition activity should be addressed to the competition judging panel
- Competitors should not communicate with other competitors during competition activity
- It is the responsibility of each competitor to arrive on time for each competition session. No additional time will be allowed if you arrive late
- Technical failure of your equipment should be reported immediately to the judging panel.

Additional time will be allocated if the fault is beyond the control of the competitor.

Marking and assessment

Brief breakdown of marking and assessment.

All marks are objective and will be awarded by the judges as follows

- A Drawing and Setting Out - 10%
- B Internal Joints - 20%
- C Dimensions - 25%
- D External Joints - 25%
- E Finish and Appearance - 20%
- F Deductions - 0%

Total 100%

Feedback

Written feedback and advice on the next steps will be provided by your Trainer within 10 days of competition.

Competition Co-ordinator

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